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NORTH MONTPELIER

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Conant and daughter, Ruth, of Montpelier visited at J. W. Butterfield's over the week end.

Ted Rudd was a business visitor in Barre Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Clark and children visited at Orlando Clark's in East Montpelier Sunday.

Mr. Sweet of Orleans was a business visitor in town Thursday.

Mrs. Mary Whitcomb of Montpelier, who has been caring for Mrs. T. L. Lawless and little daughter, went to her home Sunday.

Thomas Carroll of Montpelier was a recent guest of his sister, Mrs. Van Bennett.

Loy White, who was in town last week disposing of his household goods, returned to South Woodstock Saturday morning.

H. W. Slocum of the New York state board of health, A. V. Vallinourt, operator, and Frank Engair, driver, of Burlington, were in town Thursday night, where a lecture was given and pictures were shown prepared by the state board

of health on tuberculosis and its causes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Byron are entertaining Mr. Byron's sister from Canada.

E. Colby, who has been spending the past week at Guild, N. H., returned Monday evening to his work at the mill.

Mrs. Edgar Stoddard and Mrs. Ellen Nye Lawrence of Plainfield were visitors in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Attridge of Barre were visitors in town Sunday.

James Burns has finished work for the Little Manufacturing company and has gone to Jefferson, Mass., where he has employment.

Jerry Byron and sister, Mr. and Mrs. P. McCarr, Frances Byron, Mrs. Fred Little, Mrs. Arthur Templeton and Mrs. Demis Grey were visitors in Barre Sunday.

Carl Sullivan of North Hartland is spinning in the mill nights.

Ephie Pray and son, George were visitors in East Calais Sunday, also Mr. and Mrs. George L. Pray and sister, Miss Lillian Kelley.

Mrs. Will Greeley returned home Monday from the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington.

GROTON

Mrs. Frank Heath Badly Injured in Fall from a Chair.

Mrs. Frank Heath, who has been living alone at her home in the village for several weeks past, fell from a chair in which she was standing washing windows on Monday, badly injuring one shoulder and side. She was unable to rise and it was some time before a neighbor chanced to find her. Her recovery is somewhat doubtful as her age is past eighty.

Mrs. E. T. Raymond of Northfield arrived here Monday and will make her home with Mrs. T. B. Hall for the present.

The Needlecraft club will meet with Mrs. Ernest Taisey on Friday afternoon instead of Thursday, the regular day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reid and son, Edwin, of Montpelier, were recent visitors in town.

Mrs. A. J. Page is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Campbell, of Townsend, Mass., and Mrs. C. B. Maxfield of West Haven, Conn.

C. A. Miller went to Barre the last of the week, where he has employment at his trade as painter.

Mrs. J. A. McAllister and son, Leo, of South Ryegate are passing the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Welch.

Alex. McRae, who underwent a surgical operation at the Hitchcock hospital at Hanover, N. H., last week, is not gaining as fast as his friends could wish. Mrs. McRae and brother, L. G. Welch, were at Hanover to visit him on Monday and Mrs. McRae was there again yesterday.

Henry Sparks of Morrisville was a visitor in town over Monday night.

Mrs. C. A. Miller has been ill for the past week, threatened with pneumonia.

Mr. Brookway and Mrs. Phillips of Montpelier, adjusters for the fire insurance companies, were in town Friday to adjust the fire loss of George S. Welch.

A daughter, Annie Arlene, was born Sunday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Murray.

C. C. Lord, who is employed at St. Johnsbury, was at his home here over Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Clark of Hardwick was a visitor here Saturday.

Carlos Welch of Plainfield was in town Saturday and Sunday to visit his son, George, and family.

W. N. Clark and M. D. Coffin left Tuesday morning for St. Johnsbury to attend to their duties as petit jurors at county court.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Bailey left yesterday on a two weeks' trip to Kingston, and other points in Massachusetts. Mr. Southgate of Barre is in charge of the railroad station during the absence of Mr. Bailey.

The exploding of a lamp in the home of Mrs. Archie Cutts one night last week, did considerable damage to house and furniture. Mrs. Cutts also burned her hands quite badly in her efforts to extinguish the blaze.

EAST ORANGE

Mrs. Lizzie Corcoran and Mrs. Flora Bohannon were in Washington Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Burroughs and son, Harold, of Barre, were guests of W. M. Prescott and Mrs. Belle Johnson Tuesday.

Mrs. Florence Kimball of Montpelier was the guest of Mrs. Arthur Prescott several days recently.

F. A. Burroughs and family visited friends in Corinth Monday.

Mrs. Sadie Hutchinson and Mrs. Belle Johnson were West Topsham visitors Monday.

Dr. Bailey of Graniteville was called here recently to see Mrs. A. C. Palmer, who is in poor health.

Herbert Bowen has gone to Washington to work for A. L. Patterson on the Orange County telephone lines.

F. A. Burroughs visited his brother, C. L. Clark, and family in Corinth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Currier, Richard Currier and Elwin Sanborn of Barre were recent visitors of Miss Myra Eastman.

Mrs. Calvin Colby of Corinth has been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Button on account of the illness of their two children, who are now gaining.

Benjamin Felch and son, Enos, were recent visitors at Edwin Pierce's in Groton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sanborn were in West Topsham recently.

Several from this place attended the dance at West Topsham Friday night.

Mrs. Lizzie Corcoran and Miss Myra Eastman were in Washington Thursday, calling on friends.

Fred Trombly and Lawrence O'Mera were in Washington Tuesday evening to attend a wedding reception.

Mrs. Arthur Prescott was in Washington Tuesday.

Mrs. George Bohannon was in Barre Saturday.

George Simpson and Arthur Jackman of East Corinth were in the place recently.

E. L. Sanborn and family were at their cottage at Laxa Mo'v Saturday and Sunday. Frank Bowen and family accompanied them as their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Parker were visitors in the place recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall and daughter, June, of Washington, visited at George H. Bohannon's Sunday.

NORTH RANDOLPH

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson are visiting at Don Salter's.

Mrs. George Poor has returned from Hudson Falls, N. Y., where she has been helping to care for her new granddaughter.

D. E. Sargent was in Barre Monday. The grange meeting this week will be children's night.

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MORETOWN

G. E. Gillett of Burlington was in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Henson of Groton, N. H., are visiting relatives in town.

F. H. Sawyer and R. F. Griffith were in Montpelier on Thursday.

C. W. Ward entertained his Sunday school class and invited guests Friday evening by giving a marshmallow toast. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ferris were in Barre Saturday.

Mrs. D. C. Turner of Montpelier was a guest at M. R. Child's over Sunday.

Among those who attended the funeral of Eber Huxley in Duxbury Thursday were Mrs. M. S. Ward, B. S. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ward, T. J. Ferris and F. H. Bulkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Child were in Waterbury Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. McAllister and

children of Barre were in town Friday evening.

John Fulton of West Lebanon, N. H., recently visited his wife at M. L. Truman's.

Minnie Armstrong, who has been attending school at South Lancaster, Mass., is home for the summer vacation.

Miss Joyce Bisbee of Montpelier is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bisbee.

Several from this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Phila Turner in Duxbury Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Wilcox and daughter, Jean,

have returned from a two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Slayton, in Barre.

Ralph Bisbee of Montpelier was called home Saturday by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Phila Turner.

H. J. Nelson was in Burlington on Sunday, visiting his wife, whose condition is much improved.

C. W. Powers was in Montpelier and Barre recently.

Several from this place attended the Memorial exercises in Waitsfield.

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Only \$1.25 for the round trip. Special train leaves Barre 8:20 a. m., Montpelier 8:45 a. m., Due Burlington 10:20 a. m., Leave Burlington on steamer Ticonderoga 10:30 a. m., Due Plattsburg 11:45 a. m., Returning leave Plattsburg 2:45 p. m., Due Burlington 4 p. m., Special train leaves Burlington 4:20 p. m. for Barre and intermediate stations. Tickets good only for continuous passage on special train on June 11, 1916. See flyers for particulars.

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William Evans and daughter, Leona,

have pneumonia, and Leona has appendicitis also.

Mrs. Kimball is staying a few days with Mrs. Hannah Fields of Orange.

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Elwin and Ivis Hood are on the sick list.

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